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CITY COURT CASES

Lawrence Farino, 28 Benham avenue, charged with the murder of Anthony Della Pietra, was brought before Judge Coughlin at today's session and the hearing was continued until Saturday without bonds. Assistant Prosecutor Gray said that he had not thoroughly read Coroner Phelan's findings and desired a little time to consider it and to confer with Acting State's Attorney Carter.

The hearing of assault with intent to kill charges against John Felix of Henry street was continued until tomorrow. Peter Duffy of Railroad avenue was fined \$5 and costs for breach of the peace. He was told to go home by Policeman Kehoe at Water street and Union Square and returned the compliment by telling Policeman Kehoe where he could go.

Joseph Sullivan and William Ferris of Boston gave "looking for work" as their excuse for railroad trespassing. They were given two days' work in jail.

William DeForest 18 Walcott court, was fined \$5 and costs for an assault upon Patricia Riley in Peck's Water street saloon and Riley was fined a like sum for breach of the peace.

Joseph Primock was fined \$10 and costs for intoxication and breach of the peace and Joseph Nernergut and Stephen Slosser were fined \$25 and costs each for assaulting Stephen Planchan in a Water street saloon.

Herbert Flansburgh, 432 Brewster street, advertising manager of the Harvey Hubbard Co., was fined \$5 for violation of a city ordinance in leaving his automobile on Elm street May 25 for more than an hour.

Joseph Scudore, Andrew and Peter Smith, Louis Bolocco, John Murochi and John Fuchary, alleged members of the West End "Gas Plant Gang" were fined \$5 and costs for breach of the peace. Almost all of them have been in jail pending the hearing of the case.

The hearing of reckless driving charges against William C. Smith, chauffeur for Herbert A. Mathewson of Norwalk, was continued until June 17 under bonds of \$5,000. John Silbert of Hancock avenue, the boy run down by the automobile is still at the Bridgeport hospital but is expected to recover.

HARTFORD BAD MAN GIVEN TWELVE YEARS.

Hartford, June 3—Gaetano Bufalino, the man who attempted to shoot up a front street saloon some weeks ago and wounded two men, was today sent to prison for eight to twelve years by Judge Edwin B. Gager in the criminal court. He was charged with intent to kill. His wife, Rosie, who figured in the circumstances leading up to the shooting, was put on probation.

"What are you doing now, Bill?" "I'm collecting."

"Collecting what?" "My thoughts."

"Guess you always were lucky in striking an easy job."—Boston Transcript.

CLERK OF HOUSE WEDS MYSTIC GIRL

Fish-Russell Nuptials Solemnized in Old Connecticut Town.

* Mystic, Conn., June 3—The marriage of Miss Alice Pauline Fish, daughter of Mrs. Charles Palmer Fish, to Mr. Sabine Sayles Russell, of Dayville, was solemnized at noon today at the home of the bride's mother. The Rev. Welcomes B. Bates, pastor of the Mystic Baptist Church, officiated.

Miss Ethel Fish, a sister, was maid of honor to the bride, the ribbon bearers were Mrs. Clinton Atwood, of Danvers, Miss Alice MacDonald, of Mystic, and Mrs. Kingman, of Leominster, Mass. The flower girl was Miss Charlotte Potter, of Providence, and the ring bearer Miss Pauline Marble, of Worcester. Mr. Russell was attended by Mr. Elbert Darby, of Danvers, as his best man and the ushers were Messrs. Clinton Atwood, of Danvers, James Atwood, of Wauregan, Kenneth Wynne, of New Haven, and John Buckley, of Hartford.

The bride was gown in white satin and wore a veil. The bride's attendants wore white gowns with pink ribbons and large legions hats trimmed with roses. About 125 guests were present when the orchestra began the bridal march, many being from out of town.

Mr. Russell is clerk of the House of Representatives and son of the late Congressman Charles Russell, of the former second district. Mr. Wynne and Mr. Buckley, who were ushers, are both legislative clerks.

After the ceremony, after a reception, left on their honeymoon.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE LECTURE SUNDAY NIGHT

Virgil O. Stedler of New York, will deliver a free lecture on Christian Science at the Plaza theatre, Sunday evening, June 4th at 8 o'clock. Mr. Stedler comes well qualified to give this lecture as he has been for some time a member of the board of lecturers of First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Boston, Mass., authorized to present his subject on the lecture platform, to explain the truths of Christian Science and to clear away some of the popular misconceptions in regard to it. Interest in this subject is becoming so widespread that it has been found necessary to procure a larger place than formerly in which to give this lecture. It is given under the auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Bridgeport. All are welcome. No cards of admission are required.

OBITUARY

THOMAS O'BRIEN.

Thomas O'Brien for many years employed as a wood finisher at the Wheeler & Wilson Sewing Machine factory is dead at his home, 478 Brooks street. He was well known on the East Side where he had lived for a number of years. He was a wood finisher by occupation. He was a member of Court Wheeler, F. of A., and the Knights of the Macabees. He is survived by his widow, a daughter, Margaret, who resides here, three sisters, Mary, Nona and Catherine and three brothers, John, James and Edward O'Brien, all of Ansonia.

GEORGE B. FOWLER.

George B. Fowler of 108 South avenue died today at St. Vincent's hospital following a brief illness. He was admitted to the institution May 30. He was 40 years old. His wife and a father and sister in Massachusetts survive. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

SAMUEL H. HOULIHAN.

(Communicated.) Samuel H. Houlihan of New Haven on Thursday, May 31, at 11:15 a. m. met with a fatal accident at the Cedar Hill yard of the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R., as he stepped from his train in front of the Springfield express, being instantly killed. "Sammy," as the boys loved to call him, followed railroad work as a vocation all his life, entering the employ of the old House of railroad, 27 years ago, going with the system when the Housatonic was absorbed by N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. He held many positions of trust and responsibility during his long period of service filling them all acceptably to his employers. About four years ago Mr. Houlihan was seriously hurt in a railroad accident in New Haven, affecting his hip, leaving him slightly lame.

Deceased was of a charitable nature, many acts of kindness and benevolence never being forgotten because of his aversion to public laudation. Of a sunny and cheerful disposition, he believed in extending to his fellow being in trouble a helpful hand and a pleasant word being always first to volunteer to aid or assist in helping a fellow.

Being afflicted he was of a self sacrificing nature, no venom, greed or avarice in his nature.

A typical railroad worker of other days, rather give than to receive, he exemplified Lincoln's immortal words, "With Malice towards None, With Charity to all."

Deceased was a frequent visitor to this city, stopping at the home of his sister in law, Mrs. M. J. Chavannah of 244 Berkshire avenue. Many Bridgeport friends mourn his demise. He is gone from our midst but memory keeps green his many likable and lovable qualities. Deceased was a member of Railroad Trainmen and Loyal Order of the Moose. Relatives and friends thronged the undertaking parlors of Brennan Brothers in New Haven where his remains were received by a multitude of friends.

The large number of beautiful floral offerings attested to the love, affection and esteem in which he was held. The cortege left Brennan Bros. at 9:30 a. m. May 28, thence to the Sacred Heart church, where a requiem high mass was celebrated.

The funeral was largest that had been held from the Sacred Heart church in years. 57 coaches filled with sorrowing relatives and friends of the deceased escorted the remains to the depot.

Many New Haven friends followed the remains to Bridgeport, thence to the undertaking parlors of Cullinan & Mullins, from where the funeral was held at 2:30 p. m. Interment at St. Michael's cemetery.

Deceased is survived by a widow, who has the profound sympathy of a host of friends.

Requiescat in pace.

Automobile bandits broke into Busy's Bank at Mahomet, Ill., and escaped with \$25,000 in currency.

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ERICSON KILLS SELF IN WIFE'S PRESENCE

Expert Automobile Mechanic Was Despondent Over Domestic Woes.

Edward Ericson, 27 years old, an expert automobile mechanic employed as a demonstrator, committed suicide by drinking carbolic acid in a private dining room at Buller's hotel, Bank street, last night. Despondency due to inability to bring about a reconciliation with his wife, from whom he had been separated for a year is given as the cause. The acid was used in her presence. Death came as an emergency hospital ambulance surgeon was working over him.

Just before drinking the acid he requested his wife if anything should happen to him, to bury him beside their child who died three months ago. Mrs. Ericson did not realize the deadly import of his words and actions until she saw him drain the contents of a small vial. Then she called for help. Manager Patrick Kelleher and waiters used olive oil and milk and summoned medical aid.

It is said that the failure of Ericson as a wife to bring about a reconciliation was due to disagreement concerning finances. He had been employed as an expert automobile mechanic and until taking a position in Waterbury about three weeks ago had been employed at various periods at the Blue Ribbon garage. He was a member of the Professional Chauffeurs' club. Medical Examiner S. M. Garlick rendered a verdict of suicide.

Ericson is survived by his wife, a six years old daughter, Gladys of Naugatuck, his father, John Ericson, two brothers, Victor and John, and two sisters, Mrs. Henry Schneider and Mrs. Charles Reinholdt of Bridgeport.

MOTHER WITH BABE IS SEEKING WORK

Society Interested in Case of Young Woman Deserted By Husband.

The Charity Organization society is interested in the case of a young woman deserted by her husband who has a baby about a year old.

The woman who is about 30 years of age, is honest and willing to work and the society is trying to secure a position for her where she can keep her baby with her.

The baby is a dear little child who would be the heart of any one. The mother is willing to work in the country or anywhere so she may keep her baby. Anyone who wishes to obtain further information should communicate with the Charity Organization Society, Connecticut Bank building, telephone 5258.

FIND MAID UNHARMED IN GAS-FILLED ROOM

Sleeping a greater part of the night in a gas filled room is generally attended with fatal results but seemed to have little ill effects upon Helen Dubrion, maid living at 290 Highland avenue, who was discovered this morning by others in the house and examined by an emergency hospital ambulance surgeon.

The odor of gas was so pronounced that it was noted and traced to her room. One of the jets was found to be slightly turned and the room was filled. Helen appeared dazed but had nearly recovered when an ambulance surgeon arrived.

COPS COULDN'T FIND BURGLES WOMAN SAW; SHE GOES TO LAKEVIEW

Too vivid imagination on the part of Mary J. Shay, boarding at 711 Lafayette street, last night, resulted in a burglar scare in that neighborhood as Mary's taking an ambulance ride to Lakeview for observation. She imagined that two persons were trying to get into her room with the use of a key, that she had got hold of the key from the inside of the door and could keep them out until aid arrived. Her calls for help resulted in the police being called. At headquarters she was turned over to the care of Dr. Curley of the emergency hospital.

O'GORMAN TO DEMAND FULL TIME OF SENATE FOR TOLLS REPEAL ACT

Washington, June 3—The final stage of the fight to place the tolls exemption repeal bill was expected to be reached in the Senate today when Senator O'Gorman planned to demand that this measure be kept constantly before that body to the exclusion of all other business until a vote has been taken. A vote on the bill probably can be taken before adjournment Saturday night.

Senator Seth G. Hencock, formally announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for lieutenant governor.

SIX MONTHS FOR MOTHER WHO KILLED HUSBAND.

Hartford, June 3—Mrs. Teresa Rutino, the New Britain woman, 31 years old and mother of a child, who shot and killed her husband, was sentenced in the criminal court today by Judge Gager, to six months in jail. She was originally charged with murder but it was changed to manslaughter to which she pleaded guilty today.

A statue of Thomas Jefferson, a gift of Joseph Pulitzer to the Columbia

NEWTOWN PRIEST GOES TO MERIDEN

FATHER DOLAN LEAVES FOR NEW CHARGE ON THURSDAY.

SCARLET FEVER CLOSES SCHOOL.

Breaks Out in Home on Eve of Wedding—Newsy Jottings.

(Special to The Farmer.) Newtown, June 3—Rev. P. I. Dolan, curate of St. Rose's church has been transferred to a curacy at St. Rose's church, Meriden, by Rt. Rev. John J. Nolan, bishop of Hartford. Mr. Dolan will assume his charge at once leaving Newtown Thursday. This announcement takes the people of St. Rose's parish by surprise, and while all regret to lose his office, they all rejoice in what is advancement for him.

Manager Leavy At Home. John Leavy, manager of the Blue Ribbon basketball team is spending a month's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Leavy of Walnut Tree Hill.

Children of Mary Reception. St. Rose's church, Sunday evening was the scene of the inspiring ceremony of the coronation of the Blessed Virgin which followed the vesper service. The young women were dressed in white veils and marched into the church in a body. Miss Helen Kilbride read the act of consecration, and Hannah Corbett crowned the statue of the Blessed Mother. Rev. Father Sinnott delivered the address to the sodality in his usual effective way. The services closed with the Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament by Rev. Father Dolan.

Scarlet fever has broken out in the borough again, in the family of H. M. Tiemann, Sr. This is more than ordinarily inconvenient now as Mr. Tiemann's son, Herman H. Tiemann is about to be married Wednesday to a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Beers, and the quarantine interferes sadly with freedom of action of the house inmates. The disease so far has attacked the little daughter, Tasha, but the Health Officer doubts if Kiernan not only quarantined the Tiemann home, but also closed the South Middle school attended by the victim.

David Glover's Pilgrimage. Following his custom for more than a score of years, David Glover last Tuesday made his annual pilgrimage to the metropolis for the 24th annual Day observances there. On his way back he stopped Saturday at the Soldiers' home in Noroton to visit his brother, an inmate. He returned to his home in South Center Monday.

Newly Items. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Northrop will be sorry to know that Mrs. Northrop has suffered a relapse, and is now with friends on Main street.

Clarence Blake of the metropolis is enjoying a week's vacation with his aunt, Miss B. McNamara of Sandy Hook. John McNamara of Danbury, her son and wife, are guests for a few days also.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel T. Corbett of Danbury returned Saturday after a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. Corbett.

Mrs. J. F. Keating and son, Joseph spent Saturday in Bridgeport company with Miss May Bradley of Bridgeport. A guest at the Leavy homestead in the Glen.

Miss Agatha Clark of Bridgeport returned Monday after a pleasant week at the home of Town Clerk Oscar Fitzschler.

Mrs. John T. Sheehan and daughter, Miss Catharine, spent Sunday with W. O'Hair of Brookfield.

The selectmen have decided the matter of the location of the flag pole at the original position of the old, or as near that as may be practicable. It is stated on reliable authority that the new fountain, a gift of a son of Newtown who for the present prefers to remain unknown, will be erected nearby.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorlon Smith and D. C. Patterson of Bridgeport were holiday guests at the Patterson home in South Center.

Mrs. W. C. Johnson is ill of grip and tonsillitis, and under care of a physician and nurse.

David Henderson of Milford spent last Thursday night and Memorial Day revisiting old scenes and friends. He was entertained by Mrs. Emily C. Bennett of Maple Shade cottage, Sandy Hook.

Mrs. William Fairchild is ill, and requires the attendance of both physician and trained nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Heaton came up from Bridgeport, Sunday, in company with Mrs. Edwin T. Clarke, and spent the day at the old Clark homestead.

Colonel and Mrs. J. W. Knowlton of Bridgeport were week end and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Moore, of Taunton.

Arthur Moore, employed with the Bridgeport Brass Works has moved his family to town for the summer, and expects to motor daily to his employment from his Taunton home.

Dwight Wheeler's family take possession of their summer home this week.

H. S. Lang of Brooklyn was a holiday visitor at his home on Walnut Tree Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Zapp of New Haven recently married at New Haven spent a part of their wedding trip with Mrs. Zapp's aunt, Mrs. Arthur Beard of Gas street, departing for their New Haven home Saturday night. Other visitors with the hospitable hostess over the holiday were Mrs. John Francis and Miss Lillian Francis of Orange, N. J., Mrs. Ralph Borind and Miss Etta Borind and Miss Anna Jack of Bridgeport.

Robert T. Bradley has taken possession of the post office, but has announced no changes in the office force at present. The retiring postmaster, W. M. Reynolds, is giving his successor every aid in familiarizing himself with the routine of duty.

The selectmen filled the quota of Newtown jury list Saturday.

Some intimate friends of Miss Dorsette Gordon have accepted invitations to attend her graduation as trained nurse by the Connecticut Training School for Nurses at New Haven, June 5.

WRESTLING NOTE. Richmond, Va., June 3—Stanislav Zhyzsky defeated Dr. B. F. Roller, of Seattle in two straight falls here last night.

There were 1,547 deaths in New York last week against 1,233 deaths the

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TOTAL LOSS FROM WRECK OF EMPRESS NOW SET AT 1,024

Montreal, June 3—Latest figures on the loss of life by the sinking of the steamer Empress of Ireland off Father Point, given out today in an official statement by the Canadian Pacific Railway Steamship Company, show that 1,024 persons perished. The company has learned that there were 1,476 persons aboard the Empress instead of 1,387 as heretofore stated, hence the increased death list.

The total saved is now given as 452.

WOMAN TELLS OF EMPRESS SAILOR'S COWARDLY ACT

Quebec, June 3—In spite of persistent and emphatic denials by officials of the Canadian-Pacific, further evidence was brought out yesterday that cowardice and selfishness on the part of the crew had much to do with the appalling loss of life in the Empress of Ireland disaster.

Mrs. W. Mullins, who is near death in Jeffery Hale hospital, and August Sexte, third officer of the Storstad, are the new witnesses. The story of Andrew Vancosten, Abraham Heller and Mrs. Anderson, wife of the Storstad skipper, have been told. Mrs. Mullins said:

"When the Empress sank, I was catapulted from the deck into the water. When I regained my senses,

"I begged them," he said, "to go out after more who were drowning, but I couldn't drive them off the ship."

Other survivors who remain here are much incensed at the statement given out by C. B. B. officials and crew. Many of them say they will demand a hearing when the official inquiry begins.

ACTUAL SURVEY BEGUN FOR ALASKA RAILROAD

Cordova, Alaska, June 2—Actual work on the surveys of possible routes for the government's railroad in Alaska was begun yesterday at Chitina, where the Fairbanks Trail leaves the Copper River and Northwestern Railroad to the Matanuska coal fields.

New York imports of game in May were valued at \$2,009,750, a decrease of \$2,579,565 compared with May, 1911.